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AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES Effective July 1, 2000

RULE	TITLE	Comment / Purpose of Amendment
5-2	Number of Copies New Rule	Purpose of Adoption: Conform copy requirement for petitions for permission to appeal to copy requirement for motions.
21-1 to 21-4	Circuit Advisory Committee Note to Rules 21-1 to 21-4	Purpose of Amendment: Conform copy requirement for petitions to copy requirement for motions.
21-2	Extraordinary Writs Format; Number of Copies	Added section (b), below & made first paragraph section (a). (b) The parties shall file an original and four copies of petitions; responses to petitions; and any supporting papers and appendices. Purpose: Conform copy requirement for petitions to copy requirement for motions.
25-4	Calendared Cases New Rule	Purpose of Adoption: To permit prompt identification of materials submitted in calendared cases and thereby avoid delay in transmitting the materials to the panel members.
ACN 27-1	Circuit Advisory Committee Note to Rule 27-1	See text.
27-3	Emergency and Urgent Motions New Section - (b) Urgent Motions	Purpose of Adoption: Address prospect of irreparable harm that will not occur within 21-day period described at current Circuit Rule 27-3.
27-10	Motions for Reconsideration	Technical amendment.
28-1 & ACN 28-1	Briefs, Applicable Rules	<u>Purpose</u> : Revision is technical in nature; intended to restore prior language inadvertently omitted during previous revisions.
28-4 & ACN to 28-4	Extensions of Time and Enlargements of Brief Size for Consolidated and Joint Briefing	Purpose: Conform Circuit Rules's calibration of brief length to all options provided by Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 32.

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35-4	Format; Number of Copies	See text attached.
36-3 & ACN to 36-3	Citation of Unpublished Dispositions or Orders	Circuit Rule 36-3 has been adopted for a limited 30-month period, beginning July 1, 2000 and ending December 31, 2002. Litigants are invited to submit comments regarding the rule to the Clerk during the first 24 months of the trial period.
40-1	Format; Number of Copies	See text attached.
ACN 47-1	Circuit Advisory Committee Note to Rule 47-1 <i>New Note</i>	See text.
47-2	Advisory Committee on Rules	To memorialize the committee's commitment to organize bench/bar meetings; to revise the rule's current provisions regarding LRCC involvement; to encourage and benefit from the participation of individuals involved in national rulemaking.
Form 6	Civil Appeals Docketing Statement (CADS)	See revised Form attached at pages 8 & 9.
Form 11	Certificate of Compliance Pursuant to Circuit Rules 35-4 and 40-1 New Form	Purpose: Ensure compliance with intent of Fed.R.App.P. 32(c), 35(b)(2) and 40(b).